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REPORT

for the year 1956

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The Principal
School Medical Officer



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(Principal)

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Health Visitors and School Nurses: 106.

Dental Nurses and Attendants: 25.

Clerk-Attendants: 12.

Speech Therapists:

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Occupational Therapist :

† ETAIN BARTHOLOMEW.

Physiotherapists :

CHRISTINA COOK

† JOYCE URMSON.

†Appointed for treatment of children suffering from cerebral palsy.

INTRODUCTION.

*To the Chairman and Members
of the Education Committee.*

MR. CHAIRMAN, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to present my Annual Report on the Schools Health Services for the year 1956.

It is with the greatest regret and sorrow that I have to report the death of Mr. H. R. Parry (Principal School Dental Officer), and Mr. E. C. Griffin (School Dental Surgeon). To Mr. Parry must go much of the credit for the expansion of the Schools Dental Service since the end of the war and for having constantly maintained an efficient Dental Service, even during the past ten years when recruitment of Dental Surgeons has been so difficult. Mr. Griffin was an enthusiastic worker whose place will not be easy to fill.

The number of pupils enrolled showed a further increase of 3,626 over the previous year; the percentage of pupils receiving school milk was 76.2%, and 50.9% of pupils were in receipt of school meals. The number of school children found to require treatment on inspection showed a diminution of 232 compared with the previous year, although periodic inspections increased by 1939, special examinations by 879 and re-examinations by 948 over the 1955 figures. A full staff of School Medical Officers was maintained.

The Dental staff was equivalent to 22 full time Dental Surgeons' compared with the full establishment of 28. It is pleasing to report that conservative treatments again exceeded extractions; the acceptance rate was 72%, slightly higher than for the previous year, and it is known that, of the remaining 28% of pupils considered by the School Dental Officers to require treatment, 21% received treatment by their own dentists, leaving only 7% whose dental defects were not treated. Such excellent results could not be achieved without the generous support and co-operation of the Head Teachers and their help is greatly appreciated.

The teaching staffs also gave valuable assistance during the campaign for poliomyelitis vaccination by distributing leaflets to school children, providing facilities for rural children to attend clinics, and co-operating in the use of school halls.



Attention is drawn to the Ophthalmologist's remarks on the need for parents to watch carefully over the extent of their children's television viewing, as a number of pupils have been noted complaining of morning headaches. Their vision has been found to be normal and it is considered that the headaches are caused by viewing at hours later than what would be a reasonable bedtime.

The "spastic team" commenced its activities under the guidance of the County Paediatrician. The essential factor in successful treatment of that proportion of spastic children who can benefit thereby is early diagnosis and Health Visitors have been instructed in the means of detecting spasticity in infants. With the approval of the family doctor concerned, children suspected of suffering from cerebral palsy are assessed by the Paediatrician, and, if necessary, referred for treatment by the team at County Clinic Centres at Macclesfield, Crewe, Cheadle and Northwich. Encouraging results are being obtained and some infants are being treated at an earlier age than had hitherto been possible. One of the School Medical Officers has attended a course on the estimation of intelligence in physically handicapped children with beneficial results.

The number of children waiting for psychiatric attention continues to increase as a result of requests being received from doctors, parents, teachers, probation officers and (to a growing extent) from the County Children's Officer. A School Medical Officer who has shown a special interest and aptitude in this work has been seconded part-time to the psychiatric section of the Schools Health Service. Despite advertisement, no applications have been received for the vacant posts of psychiatric social workers, so that this service, although doing invaluable work, is incomplete. I must underline the statement in the section on the psychiatric service that parents must be encouraged to believe that they can do more for their disturbed children than anybody else, and that they must be inspired with the necessary confidence that they can do it.

The new residential school for educationally subnormal boys at Grappenhall Hall is now opened. It is hoped that Capenhurst Grange, the corresponding school for girls, will also soon be in operation, thus vacating accommodation at the Mary Dendy School required for the reception of mental defectives.

The erection of the new Clinic Centre at Marple has enabled all the clinical work of the Schools Health Service, and the Local Health Authority, to be done in County Council premises in the one specially equipped building.

The County Health Inspector is co-operating with the staff of the Director of Education in the work of ensuring that the school canteens all satisfy the requirements of the Food Hygiene Regulations.

I acknowledge with deep gratitude the continued help and co-operation received throughout the year from the members of the Education Committee, the Director of Education and County Architect and their staffs, the teachers and all those many men and women, professional and lay, who comprise the Schools Health Service.

I beg to remain,

Your obedient servant,

ARNOLD BROWN,

Principal School Medical Officer.

July, 1957.

General Statistics

The Administrative County of Cheshire comprised 42 County Districts, namely 10 Municipal Boroughs, 22 Urban Districts and 10 Rural Districts.

The population estimated by the Registrar-General at mid-1956 was 850,400.

The total number of Schools in the educational area at 31/12/56 with their enrolments in January, 1957, was as follows:—

Primary	.....	.....	.....	.....	461	83,395
Secondary (Grammar)	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	12,194
Secondary (Modern)	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	24,702

At the end of 1956, there were 91,610 children receiving school milk, and 61,312 receiving school meals.

One school was closed by the Principal School Medical Officer in 1956 on account of infectious disease.

The School Dental Service in 1956.

Staff equivalent to 22 full-time Dental Officers.

The normal routine dental inspection and treatment of school children has been carried out in all but one area in the county during the year.

In this area a Dental Officer was in attendance for at least 3 sessions per week but owing to the large number of children only the more essential work could be carried out.

In the remaining areas approximately 70% have been treated each 12 to 15 months and the remaining 30% each 15 to 20 months.

Of the 83,509 children inspected, 51,153 were found to require treatment, 48,074 were referred for treatment, and 34,821 actually treated. 43,955 extractions (including 11,744 permanent teeth) and 46,153 fillings (including 5,668 in temporary teeth) were completed.

The work carried out during the year is very satisfactory in all respects. Approximately the same number of teeth were extracted and 2,000 more fillings inserted than in the previous year, 1955. Once again more fillings than extractions were completed.

Of the 48,074 children offered treatment 72% accepted and were actually treated by the School Dental Officers and it is interesting to note that of the remaining 28%, 21% were treated by their own Dental Surgeon (7% received no treatment at all).

7,629 appointments were made for children to attend for treatment during the school holidays, and 4,403 (or 62%) were kept. In the

first 10 days over 75% of the appointments were kept but in the third and fourth weeks less than 10%.

474 children made 1864 visits for orthodontic treatment, (regulating of teeth), and 245 cases were completed during the year.

One new Dental Clinic was opened in 1956, making a total of 38 fully electrically equipped Dental Clinics in the county.

The generous support and co-operation which the head teachers continued to give during the year was very much appreciated.

School Buildings

The following major works were completed or in progress during 1956. In addition to these works a large number of minor works of alterations, additions and improvements were carried out as well as the normal maintenance work to schools throughout the County:

New Schools completed and occupied

Hartford Secondary School
Sale East Primary School
Weaverham Secondary School

Extensions and alterations to existing Schools completed

Calday Grange Grammar School
Macclesfield Girls' Grammar School
Mobberley C.E. School
Northwich Sir John Deane's Grammar School
Sale Boys' Grammar School
Sale Springfield Primary School—Phase III
Sale Urban Road Primary School
Wirral Boys' Grammar School
Wirral Girls' Grammar School

New Schools in course of erection

Barnton Secondary Modern School
Christleton Secondary Modern School
Congleton Grammar School
Crewe Girls' Grammar School
Crewe Girls' Secondary Modern School
Eastham Junior School
Ellesmere Port Stanney Secondary School
Grappenhall Hall Special School
Great Sutton Junior School
Lymm Grammar School
Macclesfield Boys' Secondary Modern School
Mid-Cheshire Technical College
Neston Secondary Modern School
North-Cheshire Technical College

Northwich Girls' Grammar School
Runcorn Secondary School
Shavington Secondary Modern School
Tarporley Secondary Modern School

Extensions and Adaptations to existing Schools in progress

Cheadle Broadway Secondary School
Helsby Grammar School
Marple Secondary School
Nantwich & Acton Grammar School

SPECIAL SERVICES REPORTS

Ear, Nose and Throat Service.

(from Mr. E. Innes).

There is little to report in the E.N.T. speciality during the year.

The waiting time for admission of tonsil and adenoid cases continues to be too long, but I think compares very favourably with other cases.

Urgent cases such as those with very frequent sore tonsils or with otorrhoea are given priority. With things as they are, this priority of urgent cases must continue. It does, however, tend sometimes to cause dissatisfaction among the parents of the more routine cases, who, as one would imagine, do not understand why these cases are admitted before their own children.

I have continued clearing off the large waiting list which I mentioned last year in the Dukinfield, Hyde and Stalybridge areas.

Poliomyelitis did not cause much stoppage of operating during the year. Stoppage due to poliomyelitis, if prolonged, can play havoc with the waiting list.

There is not much of note in the other branches of the speciality. It is gratifying to see the diminishing number of cases of chronic otitis media. I think parents are beginning to realise that untreated chronic running ears can cause severe deafness as an end product which hampers the child in his choice of employment when leaving school.

It is surprising the number of cases which one comes across of rhinitis which could be classified as allergic and yet the allergen is unknown.

The continual nose running can be very annoying to child, parent, and teacher.

Some of these cases react very well to treatment, while in others all the various remedies are of no avail.

Close co-operation was maintained with the paediatric department throughout the year.

ATTENDANCES AT E.N.T. CLINICS, 1956

Alsager	-----	50	Macclesfield	-----	69
Cheadle	-----	41	Northwich	-----	100
Congleton	-----	44	Poynton	-----	25
Crewe	-----	109	Sandbach	-----	85
Dukinfield	-----	120	Wilmslow	-----	1
Ellesmere Port	-----	131	Winsford	-----	72
Hazel Grove	-----	15			

Ophthalmic Service

(from Dr. A. Holmes-Smith).

There have been no unusual developments in the School Ophthalmic Services during the year 1956. The volume of work has, I think, increased a little due to the larger number of children entering the schools during the year, with a consequent increase in refraction cases and of glasses prescribed.

The waiting time for admission to hospital for operation continues to be short—the result of the policy of appointment of Ophthalmologists to both hospital and school clinics wherever possible. The same benefit applies to those cases requiring orthoptic treatment—it is possible to refer the patient direct into a department under the supervision of the Ophthalmologist and speedy attention is thereby assured. The latter facility is of great help in the investigation of squint and amblyopia in the pre-school child, at which stage it is essential to attack amblyopia if there is to be any success in its treatment. The need for early examination of all children with a suspected squint is again stressed—the examination of several children who are found to be normal is a small price to pay if the early case is not left until an intractable amblyopia has developed.

The north received the television service later than the south of the country, but it is interesting to find the same experience developing of children attending clinics complaining of headaches but found to have normal vision. A definite class of case is appearing where excessive watching of this instrument at hours later than a reasonable bedtime for a child gives rise to headaches in the morning. This is not unexpected when one considers that close work of this nature involves continued but unrealized muscular effort of accommodation at a time when the child is tired from the activities of the day. I would stress the need for parents to watch carefully over their children's television activities—a child who is tired in body will refuse further

exercise but the child who wishes to watch this instrument will do so and tire the eyes in the process, apart from missing the sleep essential to good health.

The general field of ophthalmology has shewn no notable advance in the past year, unlike the earlier years, when I was able to mention the appearance of cortisone and the elucidation of the mystery of retrolental fibroplasia. There is, however, research proceeding on the topic of amblyopia, and this may bear fruit in helping to differentiate those cases where improvement will not result from occlusion of the good eye; this would save some parents from the harassing period of occlusion in the young child.

I would like to draw attention once more to the help which is received from the Health Visitors, not only in the Clinics themselves but also in the laborious work of following up the patients and supervising their treatment whether in external disease of the eyes or in the use of glasses.

ATTENDANCES AT EYE CLINICS, 1956.

Alsager	153	Macclesfield	961
Bollington	134	Marple	145
Bredbury	156	Middlewich	137
Cheadle	155	Nantwich	471
Cheadle Hulme	102	Neston	166
Congleton	257	New Ferry	1144
Disley	11	Northwich	1041
Dukinfield	451	Poynton	70
Ellesmere Port	720	Runcorn	558
Frodsham	217	Sale	546
Hale	655	Sandbach	557
Hazel Grove	140	Stalybridge	384
Heswall	344	Stockton Heath	160
Hoole	215	Tarporley	111
Hoylake	339	Weaverham	197
Hyde	445	Wilmslow	211
Knutsford	111	Winsford	278
Lymm	270		

Paediatric Service

(from Dr. J. D. Allan).

The County Paediatric Service has been continued on the basis of three clinics per month, that is, two in Crewe and one in Northwich, plus one ward round of the School Medical Officers. The latter alternates between Stockport and Macclesfield and is well attended and appreciated by the School Medical Officers. It also has the advantage of promoting liaison between the Hospital and School Medical Service and quite often valuable discussion on various subjects ensues, or matters affecting individual cases are clarified.

The Clinics in Crewe and Northwich are well attended and the General Practitioners in both places make good use of the service provided. Cases requiring hospital admission are generally accommodated with very little delay in Macclesfield. This year has shown a very considerable increase in the number of cases admitted to hospital from these clinics and it is my opinion that these clinics in Crewe and Northwich are very much worthwhile in uncovering serious disease or abnormality in children which might otherwise very well be overlooked.

The local hospitals both in Crewe and Northwich co-operate fully in ancillary investigations necessary following consultation and, as a result of this, there has been less need for transport for such investigations to Macclesfield thus relieving in some slight way the present strain on the Ambulance Service.

It is with great pleasure that I intimate the initiation of a service for children suffering from cerebral palsy during this past year. The team concerned works under the guidance of the Principal School Medical Officer and consists of the following:—

1. A Paediatrician
2. One Assistant County Medical Officer
3. Occupational Therapist
4. Physiotherapist
5. Speech Therapist

The Assistant County Medical Officer has already had specialised training in the assessment of the I.Q. of these children and the Physiotherapist and Occupational Therapist are also specifically trained in their respective specialities.

Finally, we have available the County Ophthalmic and County E.N.T. Surgeons for reference, and a liaison in the centres concerned is already established with the Orthopaedic specialist. These centres are Macclesfield, Crewe, Northwich and Cheadle. The numbers at present enrolled are:—

Macclesfield	6
Cheadle	5
Northwich	9
Crewe	8

The policy is that we should specifically endeavour to get the child as young as possible and also to be selective on the criterion of normality of intellectual function *i. e.* we hope to promote improvement in cases most liable to benefit and the basic guiding principle is to try to get these children at the age of 5 able to attend normal school and mix in all respects with the least possible restraint and with the least possible frustration with their contemporaries in a normal environment.

I would only finish by saying that increased provision is still needed for the education of the sub-normal child and increased facilities are also necessary, for the hospital accommodation of the mentally defective child. It is still desired that convalescent facilities particularly for the child under the age of 2 should be more easily achieved.

ATTENDANCES AT PAEDIATRIC CLINICS, 1956.

Crewe, Ludford Street	54	Northwich, Darland House	68
Crewe, Stalbridge Road	65		

Orthopaedic Service

The orthopaedic service is the financial responsibility of Regional Hospital Boards under the National Health Service Act. The methods of ascertainment remain the same, children being referred to the surgeons by private doctors, or (with the approval of the private doctor) by School Medical Officers after medical inspection at schools or minor ailment clinics.

ATTENDANCES AT ORTHOPAEDIC CLINICS, 1956

Dukinfield	1602	Northwich	593
Ellesmere Port	196	Runcorn	1024
Hyde	1038	Stalybridge	1197
New Ferry	403	Stockton Heath	491

Children attending for sunlight treatment are the responsibility of the local authority unless referred for it by the specialist. The following were the attendances during 1956 by school children at the clinics specified:—

Dukinfield	800
Hyde	1394
New Ferry	431
Sale	558
Stalybridge	954

Psychiatric Service.

(from Dr. H. Craig).

During the year the demand for psychiatric advice has continued with increasing pressure from all sources. These continue to come from other departments, chiefly the Education and the Children's, but also from Probation Officers and quite a number have come from parents, either directly or through the family doctors. At the end of the year there were 96 cases on the books and there were 66 waiting to be seen.

In addition to the diagnostic and therapeutic aspects, the service is becoming increasingly an advisory one, not least to the parents themselves, and if one tried to crystallize that advice it is surprising how often it takes the form of encouraging parents to believe that they can do more for their disturbed children than anyone else, and to inspire in them the confidence which makes for a successful outcome of the individual problem.

I append a list of types of cases dealt with, and I would again express my sincere thanks to all concerned who have made it possible to cover so much ground:—

- (1) BEHAVIOUR PROBLEMS:—truancy 5, wandering 4, lying 3, stealing 17, difficult behaviour 19.
- (2) PSYCHOSOMATIC:—enuresis 4, asthma 2, others 4.
- (3) EDUCATIONAL:—backwardness 5, school difficulties 3, suitability for grammar school 4, boarding school 7.
- (4) PERSONALITY DISORDERS:—cruelty and aggression 7, fears and nervousness 6, sex difficulties 4, others 2.
- (5) OTHERS:—suitability for adoption 3, speech difficulties 2, educational sub-normality and mental deficiency 10, early psychosis 4.

Torpenhow Open-Air School

The school is situated on the hill at Frankby overlooking the estuary of the River Dee.

There is accommodation for 78 pupils suffering from malnutrition, general debility and chest conditions such as asthma, bronchitis, and bronchiectasis. In addition, children who are contacts of cases of open pulmonary tuberculosis are segregated from the source of infection by being admitted to the school. School children of both sexes within the age range of 7-11 years are admitted.

Children suitable for admission are selected by the School Medical Officers at medical inspections and enter Torpenhow Open-Air School initially for a period of six months, this being renewed if found to be necessary. Pupils remain at Torpenhow throughout the year, with the exception of the month of August, and attend the school during the normal school term. During the school holidays a number of recreational activities such as walks, picnics, games and visits to places of interest are organised.

During the year 148 children were admitted and 158 were discharged. They were classified according to their various disabilities as follows:—

		<i>Admissions</i>		<i>Discharges</i>	
		<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>	<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>
General Debility	.....	61	45	57	48
Asthma	.....	13	8	11	15
Bronchitis	.....	10	9	10	13
Bronchiectasis	.....	—	—	1	2
Tuberculosis contacts	.....	—	—	—	—
Eczema and Asthma	.....	—	2	—	1
		84	64	79	79

Mary Dendy School

In 1956 102 places were provided at this school for educationally subnormal children, generally speaking within the I.Q. range of 55-75. Children accommodated in three boarding houses, two for boys and one for girls, attended daily for lessons at the special school.

Children requiring admission were selected by the School Medical Officers at medical inspections. Children usually remained at the school until the age of sixteen years, the normal school leaving age for handicapped pupils. Cases were reviewed from time to time, those found to be ineducable were excluded, some were re-admitted to ordinary school.

The Mary Dendy School, of course, took only a small proportion of the educationally subnormal children in the County, and therefore priority of admission was given to those, who were either suffering from the effects of adverse home conditions, deprived of a normal home life, or were actual or potential delinquents.

The greatest problem encountered at this type of school is to make suitable arrangements for children after leaving. The very reasons mentioned above for admission invariably constitute good cause for further close supervision after leaving school—often preferably in an institution. The shortage of accommodation in such institutions has often necessitated educationally subnormal children being returned to unsuitable homes at a time in their lives when they are particularly prone to emotional instability. The Regional Hospital Boards, which are responsible for providing institutional accommodation for mentally defective persons, are aware of these difficulties and are making every effort to remedy the deficiencies.

During the year under review the numbers admitted to and discharged from the school were:—

	<i>Boys</i>	<i>Girls</i>	<i>Total</i>
On Roll 31.12.55	65	36	101
Admitted during year	13	9	22
Discharged during year	12	13	25
On Roll 31.12.56 ———	66	32	98

HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

Numbers Attending Special Schools, 1956.

BLIND AND PARTIALLY SIGHTED

	Boys	Girls	Total
Birkenhead, Sight Saving Classes	3	—	3
Chorley Wood, College for Blind	—	2	2
Kingswinford, Sunshine House	1	—	1
Liverpool, St. Vincent's School for Catholic Blind	3	2	5
Liverpool, Wavertree School for the Blind	7	3	10
Old Trafford, Henshaw's Institution for the Blind	1	1	2
Preston, Fulwood School for the Partially Sighted	5	3	8
Shrewsbury, Condover Hall	—	1	1
Wellington, Overley Hall Sunshine Home	2	—	2
Worcester, College for the Blind	2	—	2

DEAF AND PARTIALLY DEAF

Boston Spa, St. John's R.C. Institution	—	1	1
Burton-on-Trent, Needwood School for the Partially Deaf	—	5	5
Liverpool, Crown Street Day School for Deaf	1	—	1
Manchester, Royal Residential School for the Deaf	39	33	72
Newbury, Little Abbey School	1	—	1
Newbury, Mary Hare Grammar School	—	1	1
Oxford, St. Edward's School	1	—	1
Southport, Liverpool School for Partially Deaf	10	6	16
Stoke-on-Trent, North Staffordshire Deaf School	1	—	1

EDUCATIONALLY SUB-NORMAL

Aberdeen, Camphill (Rudolf Steiner) School	1	1	2
Alderley Edge, Mary Dendy School	66	32	98
Bolton, Crowthorn School	1	—	1
Bristol, The Hatch (Rudolf Steiner)	1	—	1
Liverpool, Allerton Priory R.C. School	—	2	2
Reigate, Salmon's Cross School	2	—	2
Ringwood, West Mount (Rudolf Steiner)	—	1	1
Southborough, Meadows House School	1	—	1
Stroud, Farmhill House School	1	—	1
Wallasey, Claremont Day School	1	—	1
Whaley Bridge, Taxal Lodge School	1	—	1

EPILEPTIC

Alderley Edge, Colthurst House	6	4	10
Lingfield, School for Epileptics	1	2	3
Liverpool, Maghull Homes	2	2	4

MALADJUSTED

Dulwich, Rudolf Memorial School	—	1	1
Harmer Hill, Shotton Hall School	2	—	2
Hooke, St. Francis School	1	—	1
Market Drayton, Cloverley Hall	1	—	1
Old Alresford, Alresford Place	—	1	1

DELICATE AND VARIOUS

	Boys	Girls	Total
Ashton-under-Lyne, General Hospital	2	2	4
Bebington, Clatterbridge Hospital	161	135	296
Brecon, The Penoyre House School	1	—	1
Bury, Summerseat Open-Air School	1	—	1
Frankby, Torpenhow Open-Air School	119	99	208
Heswall, Royal Liverpool Children's Hospital	11	10	21
Leasowe, Open-Air School	8	8	16
Littleborough, Lake View Children's Hospital	—	1	1
Liverpool, Alder Hey Hospital	5	2	7
Liverpool, The Underlea School	1	—	1
London, Guy's and Evelina Hospital	1	—	1
Macclesfield, West Park Hospital	28	27	55
Manchester, Booth Hall Hospital	1	1	2
Marple, Children's Orthopaedic Hospital	1	—	1
Southport, Children's Convalescent Home	5	4	9
Southport, The Bradstock Lockett School	—	1	1
Stockport, Longfield Open-Air School	1	—	1
Stoke-on-Trent, City General Hospital	1	1	2
Thingwall, Royal Liverpool Children's Hospital	1	—	1
West Kirby, Children's Convalescent Home	2	1	3
Wigan, Wrightington Hospital School	1	—	1
Wythenshawe, Hospital School	6	9	15

PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED

Crippled (non-tuberculous)

Alton, Lord Mayor Treloar Hospital	1	—	1
Biddulph, Orthopaedic Hospital	1	7	8
Bebington, Clatterbridge Hospital	8	9	17
Carshalton, Queen Mary's Hospital	—	1	1
Chailey, The Heritage Craft School	1	—	1
Davyhulme, Park Hospital	—	1	1
Harpenden, Elmfield School	—	1	1
Hartshill, Orthopaedic Hospital	1	—	1
Heswall, Royal Liverpool Children's Hospital	3	2	5
Killinghall, Ian Tetley Hospital School	—	1	1
Kirbymoorside, Welburn Hall School	—	1	1
Leasowe, Open-Air Hospital	7	4	11
Liverpool, Alder Hey Hospital	1	1	2
Liverpool, Children's Rest School of Recovery	2	2	4
London, Halliwick Cripples' School	—	1	1
Manchester, Booth Hall Hospital	2	—	2
Marple, Children's Orthopaedic Hospital	5	9	14
Mobberley, Margaret Barclay Special School	2	2	4
Oswestry, Orthopaedic Hospital	52	49	101
Salford, Bethesda Home	4	1	5
Silverdale, Bleasdale House Special School	1	—	1
Stanmore, Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital	—	1	1
Tickhill, Hesley Hall Special School	1	—	1
Tonbridge, The Thomas De La Rue School	1	—	1
Wellingborough, Hinwick Hall	1	—	1
West Didsbury, Lancasterian Special Day School	—	4	4
Wigan, Wrightington Hospital School	—	1	1

Heart

	Boys	Girls	Total
Bebington, Clatterbridge Hospital	1	3	4
Macclesfield, West Park Hospital	1	5	6
Rainhill, St. Joseph's Heart Hospital School	1	—	1
West Kirby, Children's Convalescent Home	—	2	2

Tuberculous

Abergele Sanatorium	9	1	10
Ashton-under-Lyne, General Hospital	1	—	1
Bebington, Clatterbridge Hospital	5	16	21
Heswall, Cleaver Sanatorium	36	37	73
Heswall, Royal Liverpool Children's Hospital	—	1	1
Leasowe, Open-Air Hospital	3	1	4
Macclesfield, West Park Hospital	4	—	4
Manchester, Booth Hall Hospital	—	1	1
Marple, Children's Orthopaedic Hospital	1	2	3
Thingwall, Hospital School	1	1	2
Weaverham, Hefferston Grange	—	25	25
Wigan, Wrightington Hospital School	2	4	6

SPEECH

Oxted, Moor House School	—	.	1
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DIABETIC

	Boys	Girls	Total
Frodsham, Fir Bank Home	3	—	3

MALADJUSTED

Rochdale, Duntersville Home	—	1	1
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MEDICAL INSPECTION RETURNS

Year ended 31st December, 1936

TABLE I

Medical Inspection of Pupils attending Maintained Primary and Secondary Schools

A.—PERIODIC MEDICAL INSPECTIONS

Age Groups inspected and Number of Pupils examined in each			
Entrants	—	—	11339
Second Age Group	—	—	14909
Third Age Group	—	—	8178
Total			34426
Additional Periodic Inspections	—	—	287
Grand Total			34713

B.—OTHER INSPECTIONS

Number of Special Inspections	—	—	—	7525
Number of Re-Inspections	—	—	—	11373
Total				18898

C.—PUPILS FOUND TO REQUIRE TREATMENT

Number of Individual Pupils found at Periodic Medical Inspection to require Treatment (excluding Dental Diseases and Infestation with Vermin)

Age Groups Inspected	For defective vision (excluding squint)	For any of the other conditions recorded in Table III	Total individual pupils
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Entrants —	119	1698	1818
Second Age Group —	1093	1350	2421
Third Age Group —	548	627	1132
Total —	1760	3675	5371
Additional Periodic Inspections —	25	28	63
Grand Total —	1785	3703	5434

**D.—CLASSIFICATION OF THE PHYSICAL CONDITION OF
PUPILS INSPECTED IN THE AGE GROUPS RECORDED IN
TABLE I. A.**

Age Groups Inspected	No. of Pupils Inspected	Satisfactory		Unsatisfactory	
		No.	% of col. 2	No.	% of col. 2
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Entrants	11339	11113	98	226	2
Second Age Group	14909	14695	98.6	214	1.4
Third Age Group	8178	8117	99.3	61	.7
Additional Periodic Inspections	287	287	100	—	—
Total	34713	34209	98.5	504	1.5

TABLE II.
Infestation with Vermin

(i) Total number of individual examinations of pupils in schools by the school nurses or other authorised persons	275179
(ii) Total number of <i>individual</i> pupils found to be infested	3955
(iii) Number of individual pupils in respect of whom cleansing notices were issued (Section 54 (2), Education Act, 1944)	1335
(iv) Number of individual pupils in respect of whom cleansing orders were issued (Section 54 (3), Education Act, 1944)	222

A—PERIODIC INSPECTIONS

Defect Code No. (1)	Defect or Disease (2)	PERIODIC INSPECTIONS						TOTAL (including all other age groups inspected)
		Entrants		Leavers				
		Requiring treatment (3)	Requiring observation (4)	Requiring treatment (5)	Requiring observation (6)	Requiring treatment (7)	Requiring observation (8)	
4	Skin	106	107	99	43	349	247	
5	Eyes—							
	(a) Vision	121	143	560	323	1785	1246	
	(b) Squint	177	125	23	12	321	229	
	(c) Other	32	29	16	16	121	93	
6	Ears—							
	(a) Hearing	40	107	19	35	95	210	
	(b) Otitis Media	20	45	8	9	44	87	
	(c) Other	18	18	9	1	49	33	
7	Nose or Throat	752	1470	60	105	1122	2224	
8	Speech	94	154	8	8	135	217	
9	Lymphatic Glands	25	737	1	35	35	1022	
10	Heart	24	89	20	61	63	267	
11	Lungs	82	259	14	58	144	472	
12	Developmental—							
	(a) Hernia	18	48	4	2	35	63	
	(b) Other	18	74	4	7	44	130	
13	Orthopaedic—							
	(a) Posture	13	36	110	55	218	299	
	(b) Feet	143	140	81	82	367	455	
	(c) Other	78	190	51	33	216	355	
14	Nervous System—							
	(a) Epilepsy	9	11	9	6	27	34	
	(b) Other	13	44	3	8	30	76	
15	Psychological—							
	(a) Development	4	43	1	48	24	205	
	(b) Stability	4	43	—	10	16	99	
16	Abdomen	1	6	1	—	8	14	
17	Other—	127	94	63	47	339	266	

TABLE III. (Continued)

B.—SPECIAL INSPECTIONS

Defect Code No.	Defect or Disease	Special Inspections	
		Requiring Treatment	Requiring Observation
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
4	Skin	53	35
5	Eyes— <i>a.</i> Vision	827	446
	<i>b.</i> Squint	107	39
	<i>c.</i> Other	38	19
6	Ears— <i>a.</i> Hearing	38	43
	<i>b.</i> Otitis Media	11	16
	<i>c.</i> Other	11	5
7	Nose and Throat	202	446
8	Speech	87	59
9	Lymphatic Glands	6	142
10	Heart	18	48
11	Lungs	31	110
12	Developmental—		
	<i>a.</i> Hernia	7	11
	<i>b.</i> Other	15	25
13	Orthopaedic—		
	<i>a.</i> Posture	47	51
	<i>b.</i> Feet	91	58
	<i>c.</i> Other	57	52
14	Nervous system—		
	<i>a.</i> Epilepsy	7	22
	<i>b.</i> Other	13	11
15	Psychological—		
	<i>a.</i> Development	14	145
	<i>b.</i> Stability	5	49
16	Abdomen	4	2
17	Other	71	69

TABLE IV.

**Treatment of Pupils attending Maintained
Primary and Secondary Schools.**

GROUP 1.—EYE DISEASES, DEFECTIVE VISION AND SQUINT.

	Number of cases known to have been dealt with
External and other, excluding errors of refraction and squint	1515
Errors of Refraction (including squint)	10465
Total	<u>11980</u>
Number of pupils for whom spectacles were Prescribed	4840

**GROUP 2.—DISEASES AND DEFECTS OF EAR, NOSE AND
THROAT.**

	Number of cases known to have been treated
Received operative treatment	
(a) for diseases of the ear	5
(b) for adenoids and chronic tonsillitis	405
(c) for other nose and throat conditions	9
Received other forms of treatment	907
Total	<u>1326</u>
Total number of pupils in schools who are known to have been provided with hearing aids	
(a) in 1956	2
(b) in previous years	16

GROUP 3.—ORTHOPAEDIC AND POSTURAL DEFECTS.

Number of pupils known to have been treated at clinics or out-patient departments	1671
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**GROUP 4.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN (excluding uncleanness, for
which see Table II).**

	Number of cases treated or under treatment during the year by the Authority
Ringworm— (i) Scalp	1
(ii) Body	5
Scabies	22
Impetigo	600
Other skin diseases	1137
Total	<u>1765</u>

GROUP 5—CHILD GUIDANCE TREATMENT.

No. of pupils treated at Child Guidance Clinics—	28
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GROUP 6—SPEECH THERAPY

Total number of sessions at Clinics	—	—	1674
No. of pupils referred for Speech Therapy	—	—	290
No. of pupils treated	—	—	532
Total attendances at Clinics	—	—	8793
No. of visits to Schools	—	—	415
No. of children examined at Schools	—	—	898
No. of visits to the homes of pupils	—	—	365

GROUP 7—OTHER TREATMENT GIVEN.

Miscellaneous Minor Ailments	—	—	8316
Pupils who received B.C.G. vaccination	—	—	4999

TABLE V

Dental Inspection and Treatment carried out by the Authority

(1) Number of pupils inspected by the Authority's Dental Officers—			
(a) At Periodic Inspections	—	—	74575
(b) As Specials	—	—	8934
Total (1)			83509
(2) Number found to require treatment	—	—	51153
(3) Number offered treatment	—	—	48074
(4) Number actually treated	—	—	34821
(5) Number of attendances made by pupils for treatment, including those recorded at heading 11 (h) overleaf			56248
(6) Half-days devoted to : Periodic (School) Inspection	—		802
Treatment	—	—	8772
Total (6)			9574
(7) Fillings	Permanent Teeth	—	40485
	Temporary Teeth	—	5668
Total (7)			46153
(8) Number of teeth filled : Permanent Teeth	—	—	29703
	Temporary Teeth	—	4722
Total (8)			34425

(9) Extractions :		Permanent Teeth	—	—	11744
		Temporary Teeth	—	—	32211
Total (9)					<u>43955</u>
(10) Administration of general anaesthetics for extraction—					<u>10492</u>
(11) Orthodontics :					
(a) Cases commenced during the year		—	.....		342
(b) Cases carried forward from the previous year			.....		132
(c) Cases completed during the year		.....	.....		245
(d) Cases discontinued during the year		.....	.....		44
(e) Pupils treated with appliances		.....	.....		293
(f) Removable appliances fitted		.....	.....		225
(g) Fixed appliances fitted		.....	.....		38
(h) Total attendances		.....	.....		<u>1864</u>
(12) Number of pupils supplied with artificial dentures					<u>186</u>
(13) Other Operations :		Permanent Teeth	.....	—	5844
		Temporary Teeth	.....	—	1786
Total (13)					<u>7630</u>

TABLE VI.
Number of handicapped pupils examined in School.

Defect	Number of	
	New Cases	Re-exams.
Blind	—	1
Partially Sighted	7	23
Deaf	4	5
Partially Deaf	5	8
Delicate	45	228
Diabetic	12	22
E.S.N.	69	441
Epileptic	35	94
Maladjusted	1	8
Physically Handicapped	53	249
Speech Defect	38	75

TABLE VII.

Medical Examinations at School Clinics	—	—	—	4676
Number of children examined for part-time employment	—	—	—	1102
Number of Special Reports completed on children examined at—				
Schools	—	—	—	165
School Clinics	—	—	—	347
Homes of Pupils	—	—	—	378
				890

LIST OF SCHOOL CLINICS

Clinic	Address	Type of Clinic	Day held
ALSAGER	15, Centre Court, Alsager.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	Mon. to Fri. a.m. 1st & 3rd Fri. (11 a.m.—12-15 p.m.) 3rd Mon. p.m. 1st Thurs. p.m.
ALTRINCHAM	12, The Mount, Altrincham. 145, Park Road, Timperley. 69 Station Bldgs, Altrincham.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Speech	Mon. a.m. 2nd and 4th Mon. a.m. Wed. a.m. 1st & 3rd Wed. a.m. Tues. and Fri. a.m. & p.m.
BARNTON	Methodist School Room, Runcorn Road, Barnton.	Minor Ailment	Wed. a.m.
BEBINGTON	Council Offices, Bromborough. 218, Bebington Road, Bebington. St. Mark's Parish Room, Grove Street, New Ferry.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Speech Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye	1st Tues. a.m. When required. Tues. a.m. & p.m. Wed. a.m. and p.m. Mon. to Fri. p.m. Wed. p.m. Fri. a.m.
BOLLINGTON	Wellington Rd., Bollington, Macclesfield.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	Tues. a.m. 1st Tues. a.m. Odd Mths. 1st Fri. a.m. 2nd Tues. p.m.
BREDBURY	Lower Bents Lane, Bredbury.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye	Thurs. a.m. 3rd Thurs. a.m. 2nd Thurs. a.m.
CHEADLE	Brookfield, Wilmslow Road, Cheadle.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye E.N.T. Speech	Mon. a.m. 1st Mon. a.m. 2nd & 3rd Thurs. p.m. Even Months 2nd Mon. p.m. Tues. p.m., Fri. a.m. & p.m.
CHEADLE HULME	Parish Hall, Church Road, Cheadle Hulme.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye	Wed. p.m. 4th Wed. p.m. 3rd or 4th Tues. p.m.
CONGLETON	Park Street, Congleton.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye Speech	Mon. a.m. 1st, 3rd & 5th Mon. a.m. Odd Mths. 4th Thurs. a.m. 2nd Wed. p.m. Tues. p.m.

CREWE	201 Edleston Rd., Crewe.	Speech	Mon. & Wed. a.m. & p.m. Tues. p.m.
	Ludford Street, Crewe.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye Paediatric	Mon., Wed. & Fri. a.m.. Mon. & Wed. a.m. 3rd Fri. a.m. Wed. a.m. 1st & 3rd Fri. p.m.
	Stalbridge Road, Crewe.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye Paediatric	Tues. a.m. 1st & 3rd Tues. a.m. As Required 1st Fri. p.m.
DUKINFIELD	King Street, Dukinfield.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	Mon. to Thurs. a.m. Fri. p.m. Tues. a.m. Fri. p.m. 4th Mon. p.m. 1st, 2nd & 4th Fri. p.m..
ELLESMERE PORT	York Road, Ellesmere Port.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	Mon. & Thurs. a.m. Thurs. a.m. Alt. Mon. a.m. Fri. a.m.
FRODSHAM	The Rock Clinic, High Street, Frodsham.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	As Required As Required Odd Mths. 3rd Thurs. a.m. 2nd Fri. a.m. 4th Thurs. a.m.
HALE	Lister House, 9 Broomfield Lane, Hale.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye	Mon. & Fri. p.m., Wed. a.m. 1st & 3rd Fri. p.m. Tues. a.m.
HAZEL GROVE	253, London Rd., Hazel Grove.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye Speech	Tues. a.m. 2nd Tues. a.m. Even Mths. 3rd Thurs.. a.m. 1st & 4th Thurs. a.m. Mon. a.m.
HESWALL	Telegraph Road, Heswall.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye Speech	Tues. p.m. 1st & 3rd Tues. p.m. 2nd & 4th Fri. p.m. Fri. a.m. & p.m.
HOLLING- WORTH	Wedneshaugh Green, Hollingworth.	Minor Ailment	Tues. p.m.
HOOLE	55, Hoole Road, Hoole.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye Speech	2nd Wed. p.m. 2nd Wed. p.m. 1st Fri. p.m. Fri. a.m. & p.m.
HOYLAKE	Broomfield, Meols Drive, Hoylake.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye Speech	Fri. a.m. Fri. a.m. 1st & 3rd Fri. p.m. Mon. a.m. & p.m.

HYDE	Reform Club Buildings, Market Place, Hyde.	Minor Ailment	Mon., Wed. & Fri. a.m.
		Doctor's Sessions	Mon. a.m.
		Eye (Specialist)	1st Tues. a.m. 3rd. Fri. p.m.
KNUTSFORD	County Offices, Bexton Road, Knutsford.	Eye (D.M.O.)	2nd & 4th Tues. a.m.
		Speech	Wed., Thurs. a.m. & p.m.
		Minor Ailment	Wed. a.m.
LITTLE SUTTON	Chester Road, Little Sutton,	Doctor's Sessions	2nd & 4th Wed. a.m.
		Eye	3rd Thurs. p.m.
		Minor Ailment	Fri. a.m.
LYMM	29, Eagle Brow, Lymm.	Speech	Tues. a.m. & p.m.
		Minor Ailment	Wed. a.m. 2nd & 4th Wed. p.m.
		Doctor's Sessions	2nd & 4th Wed. p.m.
MACCLESFIELD	Sanders Square, Macclesfield.	Eye	4th Thurs. p.m.
		Minor Ailment	Mon. & Thurs. a.m.
		Minor Ailment	Mon. & Thurs. p.m.
	Pierce Street, Macclesfield.	Doctor's Sessions	Tues., Wed. & Fri. a.m.
			Tues. a.m. & Fri. a.m. (except 1st Fri.)
		E.N.T.	1st Fri. a.m.
		Eye	1st Mon. p.m.
MALPAS	52, Bridge St., Macclesfield.		1st, 3rd & 4th Tues. p.m., 4th Thurs. a.m.
		Speech	Thurs. a.m. & p.m. & Fri. a.m.
		Minor Ailment	Thurs. p.m.
MARPLE	Jubilee Hall, Malpas.	Minor Ailment	Thurs. p.m.
		Minor Ailment	Wed. a.m.
		Doctor's Sessions	2nd Wed. a.m.
MIDDLEWICH	The Priory, 85, Wheelock St., Middlewich.	Eye	3rd Thurs. a.m.
		Minor Ailment	Mon. a.m.
		Doctor's Sessions	2nd & 4th Mon. a.m.
		E.N.T.	Even Mths. 4th Thurs. a.m.
NANTWICH	The Dowery, Barker Street, Nantwich.	Eye	3rd Tues p.m.
		Minor Ailment	2nd & 4th Mon. a.m.
		Doctor's Sessions	2nd & 4th Mon. a.m.
NESTON	Mellock Lane Neston.	Eye	2nd & 4th Thurs. a.m.
		Minor Ailment	Tues. a.m.
		Doctor's Sessions	1st & 3rd Tues. a.m.
		Eye	1st Wed. a.m.
NORTHWICH	Parkfield, Middlewich Rd., Northwich.	Speech	Thurs. a.m.
		Minor Ailment	Mon., Wed., Fri. & 1st Thurs. a.m.
		Doctor's Sessions	1st Thurs. a.m.
	Darland House, Winnington Hill, Northwich.	E.N.T.	2nd Fri. a.m.
		Eye	1st, 2nd & 3rd Thurs. a.m.
		Minor Ailment	Tues. a.m. Fri. p.m.
		Doctor's Sessions	2nd Fri. p.m.
		Paediatric	4th Mon. p.m.
		Speech	Mon. a.m. & p.m. Thurs. a.m.

POYNTON	Park Lane, Poynton.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	Tues. p.m. 1st & 3rd Tues. p.m. Even Mths. 3rd Wed. p.m. Even Mths. 2nd Thurs. p.m.
ROMILEY	Leyfield Ave., Romiley.	Minor Ailment	Mon. p.m.
RUNCORN	28, Halton Road, Runcorn.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye Speech	Mon. & Fri. a.m. 2nd & 4th Fri. a.m. Tues. p.m. Mon, Wed. a.m. & p.m.
SALE	70, Chapel Road, Sale.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye Speech	Wed. a.m. Wed. a.m. Mon. a.m. Wed. a.m. & p.m.
SANDBACH	Marriott House, Sandbach.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	Fri. a.m. 1st & 3rd Fri. a.m. (9-15 a.m. to 10-30 a.m.) 4th Fri. a.m. 2nd, 3rd & 4th Mon. p.m.
STALYBRIDGE	High Street, Stalybridge.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye	Mon., Wed. & Fri. a.m. Mon. a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th Tues. a.m.
STALYBRIDGE	Huddersfield Rd., Millbrook.	Minor Ailment	Mon. & Thurs. a.m.
STOCKTON HEATH	65 Whitefield Rd. Stockton Heath.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye Speech	Thurs. a.m. 2nd Thurs. a.m. if required 4th Tues. p.m. Thurs. a.m. & p.m.
TARPORLEY	Victory Hall, Tarporeley.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye	Fri. a.m. 4th Fri. a.m. 4th Fri. p.m.
TATTENHALL	Barbour Institute, Tattenhall.	Minor Ailment	Wed. a.m.
WEAVERHAM	Church Lane, Weaverham.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions Eye	Fri. a.m. 1st & 3rd Fri. a.m. 3rd Fri. p.m.
WILMSLOW	3, Alma Lane, Wilmslow.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	Thurs. a.m. 1st Thurs. a.m. Even Mths. 4th Wed. p.m. 1st Tues. p.m.
WINSFORD	98, Weaver St., Winsford.	Minor Ailment Doctor's Sessions E.N.T. Eye	Mon. p.m. 2nd & 4th Mon. p.m. 2nd Wed. p.m. 1st & 3rd Thurs. a.m.

